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# Contractor License Revocations

**RICHMOND** – The Virginia Board for Contractors issued 21 license revocations at its meeting Tuesday, April 8, 2008. Following is a summary of the Board's actions.

Copies of the file orders are available online at [www.dpor.virginia.gov](http://www.dpor.virginia.gov) under "License Lookup." Fines are deposited directly into the state Literary Fund, which is used solely for public education purposes such as school construction, renovation, and teacher retirement funding.

**RICHARD A. CLIFTON**  
**NORTH TAZEWELL, VA**

File Number 2007-02629

COMPLAINANT – Sandra and Gary Horne (Cedar Bluff, VA)

VIOLATION – Clifton furnished substantially inaccurate information in obtaining his license; failed to operate in the name in which his license was issued; failed to include all required provisions in the written contract; engaged in misconduct in the practice of contracting; practiced outside his class of license; failed to provide an investigator with requested documents and complete information; failed to satisfy a court judgment; failed to notify the Board of his misdemeanor conviction; and failed to notify the Board of an address change.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705104623 and \$11,400 in monetary penalties.

**CHARLES A. GUEST trading as GUEST CONSTRUCTION**  
**CHRISTIANSBURG, VA**

File Number 2007-00821

COMPLAINANT – Timothy Mack (Blacksburg, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Guest failed to include all required provisions in the written contract; engaged in misrepresentation; practiced outside his class and specialty of license; violated the building code; abandoned the project; and engaged in negligence or incompetence in the practice of contracting.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 27050763280 and \$13,700 in monetary penalties.

**JAMES W. DAY, SR. trading as JD'S HOME IMPROVEMENT**  
**ELLISTON, VA**

File Number 2007-02456

COMPLAINANT – Harry Clay (Dewalt, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Day failed to include all required provisions in the written contract and abandoned the project.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705053517.

**MAYEUX'S HOME IMPROVEMENTS INC.**  
**LURAY, VA**

File Number 2007-04790

VIOLATIONS – Mayeux's failed to satisfy a court judgment.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705083182.

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**AMERICAN HOME BUILDERS INC.**

**LYNCHBURG, VA**

File Number 2007-01706

COMPLAINANT – Christine and Joey Hunt (Campbell County, VA)

VIOLATIONS – American accepted payment prior to executing a written contract; failed to include all required provisions in the written contract; failed to obtain written change orders; and failed to complete work for which it contracted.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705077467 and \$5,250 in monetary penalties.

**RICHARD E. TONEY, JR. trading as TRUE COLORS PAINTING SERVICES**

**PRINCE GEORGE, VA**

File Number 2008-01365

COMPLAINANT – Anonymous

VIOLATIONS – Toney furnished substantially inaccurate information in obtaining his license.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705060182.

**M & M REMODELING LLC**

**RICHMOND, VA**

File Number 2007-03820

COMPLAINANT – Nicole Jones (New Kent, VA)

VIOLATIONS – M & M failed to operate in the name in which its license was issued; failed to execute a written contract with all required provisions; failed to comply with “Miss Utility” excavation requirements; and retained funds related to incomplete contract items.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705062262 and \$7,100 in monetary penalties.

**BENJAMIN A. JACKSON, JR.**

**RICHMOND, VA**

File Number 2007-04019

COMPLAINANT – Wendy and Michael Mulvey (Richmond, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Jackson abandoned the project; retained funds related to incomplete contract items; failed to respond to an investigator; and failed to satisfy a court judgment.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705079877 and \$7,000 in monetary penalties.

**BRUCE W. PIERCE trading as ARROW PIERCE CONST CO**

**FARMVILLE, VA**

File Number 2007-04176

COMPLAINANT – Elinor Godsey (Farmville, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Pierce failed to execute a written contract; failed to notify the Board of an address change; failed to respond to an investigator; practiced outside his class and specialty of license; performed contracting work on a suspended license; and abandoned the project.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705074726 and \$4,150 in monetary penalties.

**SUN BUILDERS INC.**

**FREDERICKSBURG, VA**

File Number 2007-02244

COMPLAINANT – Cheryl Hall (Colonial Beach, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Sun Builders engaged in misconduct in the practice of contracting; retained funds related to incomplete contract items; and failed to satisfy a court judgment.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705094029.

File Number 2007-02685

COMPLAINANT – Michelle and Kirk Bielovitz (King George, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Sun Builders failed to obtain written change orders; engaged in misconduct in the practice of contracting; retained funds related to incomplete contract items; failed to satisfy a court judgment; and failed to provide requested documents or information to an investigator.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705094029.

File Number 2008-00297

COMPLAINANT – Lori and Mike Beltethon (Spotsylvania, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Sun Builders failed to obtain written change orders and failed to complete work for which it contracted.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705094029.

**EARNEST EUGENE CRAWFORD, JR. trading as C & A EXTERIORS  
FREDERICKSBURG, VA**

File Number 2007-01580

COMPLAINANT – Angela and Arrend Hoopes (Spotsylvania, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Crawford failed to complete work for which he contracted; retained funds related to incomplete contract items; failed to respond to an investigator; and failed to satisfy a court judgment.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705095161 and \$7,800 in monetary penalties.

**EVANS CONTRACTING ASSOCIATES INC.**

**ALEXANDRIA, VA**

File Number 2007-02380

COMPLAINANT – James Driscoll (Alexandria, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Evans failed to execute a written contract; failed to obtain written change orders; retained funds related to incomplete contract items; engaged in misconduct, negligence and incompetence in the practice of contracting; and failed to satisfy a court judgment.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705069612 and \$6,900 in monetary penalties.

**CARLOS ROBERTO ARAYA trading as MALFA CONSTRUCTION INC.**

**ALEXANDRIA, VA**

File Number 2007-03935

COMPLAINANT – Jorge Escobar (Arlington, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Araya failed to include all required provisions in the written contract; failed to notify the Board of an address change; practiced outside his class of license; failed to obtain written change orders; engaged in negligence/incompetence in the practice of contracting; abandoned the project; and retained funds related to incomplete contract items.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705096012 and \$7,050 in monetary penalties.

**J A J CONTRACTING INC.**

**ALEXANDRIA, VA**

File Number 2007-03153

COMPLAINANT – Robert Tiedeman (Alexandria, VA)

VIOLATIONS – J A J failed to include all required provisions in the written contract; abandoned the project; retained funds related to incomplete contract items; and failed to notify the Board of an address change.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705102502 and \$5,000 in monetary penalties.

**JOHN HENRY FILLMAN, JR. trading as FILLMANN'S CONSTRUCTION  
MANASSAS, VA**

File Number 2007-04161

COMPLAINANT – Katherine and Joel Polen (Ashburn, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Fillman failed to include all required provisions in the written contract; failed to notify the Board of an address change; failed to complete work for which he contracted; and retained funds related to incomplete contract items.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705107913 and \$2,500 in monetary penalties.

**ROCK BUILDERS INC.  
BERRYVILLE, VA**

File Number 2007-04025

COMPLAINANT – Jessica and David Funk (Winchester, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Rock Builders failed to include all required provisions in the written contract; failed to complete work for which it contracted; failed to comply with the terms of the contract; and failed to respond to an investigator.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705061724 and \$4,800 in monetary penalties.

**JOSEPH HERNANDEZ trading as DISPLAY HOMES  
VIRGINIA BEACH, VA**

File Number 2007-03239

COMPLAINANT – Michael Armeli (Virginia Beach, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Hernandez failed to include all required provisions in the written contract; retained funds related to incomplete contract items; and failed to respond to an investigator.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705103179 and \$3,700 in monetary penalties.

File Number 2006-05373

COMPLAINANT – Charlotte Briglin (Portsmouth, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Hernandez failed to include all required provisions in the written contract; contracted with an unlicensed contractor; failed to notify the Board of an address change; failed to respond to an investigator; and failed to satisfy a court judgment.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705103179 and \$5,200 in monetary penalties.

**ROBERT M. GIBBS trading as R & S ELECTRICAL  
MOYOCK, NC**

File Number 2008-00482

COMPLAINANT – Jesse Kay, Jr. (Virginia Beach, VA)

VIOLATIONS – Gibbs engaged in misconduct in the practice of contracting; failed to complete work for which he contracted; retained funds related to incomplete contract items; and failed to satisfy a court judgment.

BOARD ACTION – Revocation of License No. 2705067337.

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The Board administers the Virginia Contractor Transaction Recovery Fund, which provides monetary relief to eligible consumers who incur losses through the improper and dishonest conduct of a licensed contractor. For more information, visit DPOR online at [www.dpor.virginia.gov](http://www.dpor.virginia.gov).